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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action dated September 19, 2007 ("the OA"), Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendment and consideration of the remarks set forth herein. The response is initially due December 19, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.